CROSS-CUTTING FACTORS

Rather than focus only on disease-specific programs, the CHIP highlights powerful underlying drivers of wellbeing, such as access to quality healthcare, housing affordability and healthy eating. The CHIP takes a comprehensive approach to improving health priorities by identifying cross-cutting factors that impact multiple outcomes.

Below are the Cross-Cutting strategies for Delaware County by category as described in the Ohio Department of Health State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP):

SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

- Increase the amount of affordable housing required with new development and throughout the county

HEALTHCARE SYSTEM AND ACCESS

- Provide cultural competence training for healthcare professionals and other service providers
- Increase transportation opportunities and awareness
- Support trauma-informed health care

PUBLIC HEALTH SYSTEM, PREVENTION & HEALTH BEHAVIORS

- Adopt healthy food initiatives
- Promote healthy eating practices through education and skill building

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